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In re U.S. Patent Application

NOZAKI *et al.*

Application 09/890,929

Filed: August 7, 2001

**For: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR DISPLAYING
DENDROGRAM**

Attorney Docket No. HIRA.0038

Art Unit 1631

**Examiner
Clow, Lori A.**

**Honorable Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231**

COVER LETTER

Sir:

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FOR	TOTAL WITH NEW CLAIMS ADDED	TOTAL CURRENTLY ON FILE	CLAIMS PAID	RATE	CALCULATION
Total Claims	26	26	7 (Over 20)	x \$18	0
Independent Claims	5	5	2 (Over 3)	x \$88	0
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM(S)	4	4	PAID	+ \$300	0
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TOTAL					0.00

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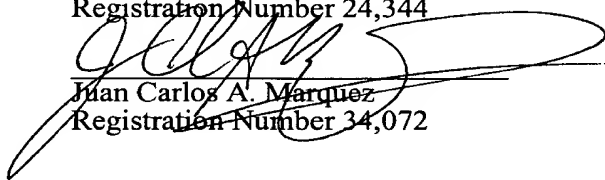
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RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action dated August 17, 2004 and the phone interview conducted on October 27, 2004 with the Examiner and her supervisor, the period for response to which expires on November 17, 2004. Please amend the above-identified application as follows: